

REMARKS

The following remarks are being submitted as a full and complete response to the Office Action dated September 28, 2005. In view of the following remarks, the Examiner is respectfully requested to proceed with examination of the application on the merits, to indicate the allowability of the claims, and to pass this case to issue.

Restriction Requirement

In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement set forth in the above-mentioned Office Action, Applicants hereby elect the continued prosecution of the invention identified as Group I, Embodiment 1 of Figure 2(a), as recited in claims 1-20, without traverse. Applicants submit that claims 1, 2, 4-9, 11, 12, 14-16 and 18-20 are generic to all of the identified species, as being commonly specified in a point of providing the active device with a multi-finger electrode structure. Only claims 3, 10, 13 and 17 are specific to the elected species.

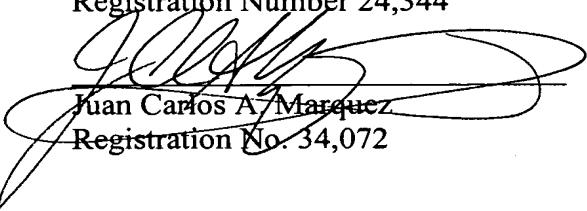
Applicants understand that any non-elected claims are hereby withdrawn from further consideration pending the allowability of a generic claim. It is further understood that if such a generic claim is allowed, all the non-elected species and their corresponding claims would be brought back in and allowed in this application. Applicants hereby reserve the right to file divisional applications on any non-elected inventions.

Conclusion

Favorable consideration of this application is respectfully solicited. Should there be any outstanding issues requiring discussion that would further the prosecution and allowance of the above-captioned application, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned representative at the address and phone number indicated below.

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